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[Despatch Abstract.]

BELLARY,

Dated .29th.May.1922

The non'ble the Secretary to the Govt. of Madras,
Public Works Department,
Post Box 410. Chenauk Madras.

Sir,

Ref. Application dated 12th Instant of
Mr.S.M. Hussain of the Bellary Electric Supply Co.Ltd
(in formation) and your reply dated 25th Instant

With reference to the above, we the undersigned, the Licensees of the License which is the subject matter of G.O No.931-W dated 5th July 1921, hereby beg to apply under Clause 12 thereof, for permission to assign our said license to the Bellary Electric Supply Co. Ltd., (in formation)

You will be pleased to see from the prospectus and memorandum of association of the said Company, copies whereof have been already forwarded to/by you Mr.Hussain, that it has been proposed, to be formed with an authorized capital of Rupees Ten Lakhs divided into One Hundred Thousand shares of ten rupees each. Four of us are in the Board of Directors of whom G. Ramachandra Chetty has to get a free grant of two hundred and fifty shares in order to qualify him for a Director's place in the Company in consideration of the labour and expense undergone by us in obtaining the license. The Company has already received encouraging response from the public. The Imperial Bank has given its consent to become the Bankers of the Company

therefore request that the necessary permision may be accorded to us to assign our license with all our rights and obligations under it in favour of the new Company.

For which act of mercy and justice we in duty bound ever pray.

We remain,
Yours obediently,

1 K.A.Kapu Rao (Sd)
2 G. Ramachandrachetty
3 Guniretty. Phakirappa
4 Jantha Kal Sanna Rathappa
5 Jada Lidhalingappa
6 Thejji. Erappa

1 [illegible]
2 G. Ramachandra[illegible]
3 [illegible]
4 [illegible]
5 [illegible]

13-6-42.

To

M. R. R. T. Ramachandra
Chetty and others

Licensees for the supply of
electric energy to Bellary.

Sirs

I am directed to
acknowledge the receipt of
your letter dated 29
May 1942 ~~regarding~~ and to
assignment of the licence
granted to you ~~as aforesaid~~ for the
supply of electric energy to the
of the Bellary Electric Supply
Town of Bellary and
~~Cudda (in connection) and~~
to state that the matter
will receive due consideration

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Attd
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L E T T E R No 1595AD. 3
5-7-22

To

M.R.Ry.G.Ramachandra Chetty &
others,
Licensees for the supply of
electric energy to Bellary.

Sirs,

I am directed to invite your attention to clause 4 of the license granted to you in G.O.No.931 W.dated 5th July 1921 for the supply of -- electric energy to Bellary town and to request to be informed if you have paid the deposit of Rs.5,000 prescribed therein as the time limit for payment expired by the 4th instant. On hearing from you in reply that the deposit has been paid, orders will be passed on the request contained in your letter dated 29th May 1922 asking for permission to assign the license to the Bellary Electric Supply Company Ltd (in formation)

I have &c

Letter No. 1595 AD. 4

22.7.24

To

M. R. Ry. G. Ramachandra

Chetty and others

Licensees for the supply of

Electric energy to Bellary.

Sir

I am directed to refer

you to my letter No. 1595 AD

dated 5.7.24 regarding the

payment of the security

deposit prescribed in the

license for electric supply to

Bellary and to request that

you will be so good as to

send an immediate reply.

~~State whether a reply has~~

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Ramachendra Chetty and Others.
Licensees For The Supply of Electric Ener
To B E L L A R Y.

To

W. Hutton, Esq., M.Inst. C.E.,M.I.E.

Secretary to the Government of Madra

Sir,

While thanking you for your kind communication no 1595 Ad 4 dated 22nd July 1922, I beg to state on behalf of the Licensees whether I can deposit " Government Promisary Notes" in the Imperial Bank Of India, Bellary on account of security deposit as prescribed in the License.

I beg to remain

sir

Your most obedient-servant

G. Ramachandrachetty

Ramachendra Chetty and others,

Licensees for the supply of Electrical energy to Bellary,

B e l l a r y.

W. Hutton, Esqr, M.Inst.C.E., M.I.E.,

Secretary to the Govt. of Madras,

M a d r a s.

Sir,

I beg to state that, on your Ref. No. 1595AD-4 dated 22nd July 1922 regarding the security deposit, I had respectfully communicated to you on the 29th July 1922 through an unregistered letter whether I could deposit " Government Promisory Notes " in the Inperial Bank at Bellary.

I regret to state that I was unfortunate as it not to receive your reply in this connection till now. I therefore humbly beg that you will be pleased to give your kind decision early.

Thanking you in anticipation.

I beg to remain,
Sir;
Your most obedient servant,

G. Ramachandra Chetty

Chetty and other licensees for the supply of electric energy to Vellore. dt. 29.5.22.

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Submitted

2 A draft letter acknowledging the receipt of the application is submitted.

3 After the issue of the letter, the file may be sent to the E.E.G. for remarks on the application in the period

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E.E.G. N.O.

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The only question I think is whether or not the Company to be formed will be financially competent to carry out the work To ensure this I recommend that the assignment of the license shall be subject to the condition that before the assignment is actually effected the Company after incorporation shall satisfy Govt that stock to the extent of six lakhs of rupees has been actually subscribed & allotted

The present ~~se~~ licenseholders might be reminded that the period within which the security of Rs 5000 should be deposited expires on the 4th July 1922. Vide Clause 4 of the license

E.B. Greenwood.
23.6.22.

A draft letter to the licensees on the lines of the E.I.G's note at A in the -- previous page as submitted.)

With reference to Bin the E.I.G's not it is submitted that no intimation has yet been received in the office in regard to the payment of the amount. It is regretted that action was not taken in time on the E.I.G's suggestion to remind the licensees. With reference to clause 4 of the license an extension of time for the payment of the amount can be sanctioned by Govt. ~~The Licensees may perhaps be addressed as in the draft letter put up below.~~ Secretary

xx~~The~~xxxxxxxxxxx

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5.7.22

The Licensees may first be asked if they have paid up the deposit amount & told that on earning from them to the effect that amount has been paid, order be issued on their request for assignment of the license. A draft letter accordingly is submitted

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Letter to Mr. K. Ramachandra Chetty Lr No 15952-D.3 dated 5.7.22.

6 JUL 1922
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Bellary Electric Licence

Plant My U.O. note No 1104/26.6.22

The cost of this undertaking will not exceed four lakhs of rupees I recently heard this from one of the tenderers for the entire plant erected

Please therefore change the six lakhs in para 1 of my note to 'four lakh

F.J.S. Greenwood
4.7.22

CNo 2201 AD From. G. Ramachandra Chetty & others
Dated 29.7.22

US:

Please see the memos at pp 3+4 cf and the Licensees reply at p 5 cf, which has been sent after much delay. As the period prescribed in clause 2 of the license expires by 4-7-22; it seems that a deposit cannot now be accepted until the Licensees first apply for an extension of time for the payment of the deposit and the extension is sanctioned by Govt. The Licensees will have to be informed accordingly. There appears to be no objection to the promissory notes referred to The file may go to E.I.G. (D) for urgent remarks, if any.

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Unlike a business company or person a Government can never refuse to accept its own paper at its face value.

2/ In order that Govt may have sufficient funds to meet the expenses of a defaulting licensee's work it would be better in future licenses to take care to specify that the deposit is to be in cash In the present case it is too late.

3/ I do not think there is any necessity for the emergency course indicated at A on page 4\10; here is a licensee ready to go ahead but due to dilatoriness has exceeded the one year's time limit by some four weeks Why should not Govt at once and on its own initiative in reply to the licensee's question extend the license by two months and inform the licensee that the deposit in Govt Promissory Notes will be accepted up to September 4th 1922? I think that course would be far preferable to the summary rejection of the proffered deposit a not-important technical point.

licensees request for permission to assign the licence to the Bellany Electric Supply Co Ltd (in formation should be considered only after the security amount has been paid. ~~[illegible]~~ The draft order provides for this

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Para 3 of the Cl. Enquiries was in p. 5 ante

Please see clause 4 of the Bellany Licence. The ~~extension of period~~ can be granted by the Local Govt. under Clause I. (ii) of the Schedule to the provides for the order being issued under Section 4 sub section of the ~~HCA~~, which runs as.

"Where in its opinion the public interest so permits the Local Govt may on the application or with the consent of the licensee and if the licensee is not a local authority after consulting the local authority [illegible] concerned

~~[illegible]~~ it is considered unnecessary to consult the local Authority in this case (the Chairman Municipal Council) before the Extension is granted — as the question at issue is not an important one The Electric Inspector may be requested to do so. The Board is only [illegible]

~~[illegible]~~

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The draft order may now be issued It is for consideration whether this need be circulated to C

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The [redacted] one years
Renewal pursuant to the
License for the Payment
of the Security Deposit
of Rs 5000 & the Licensor
[redacted] Signed on 4/7
They were asked as
Whether they paid up in
Instalment

reminder

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replied on 29/7 Enquiry
Whether Grant
notice could be dispensed
As an Extension of time
has to be formality

if it is in order The question is whether Govt Promissory notes can accepted in view of their reduced market value at present has also been referred to him On the return of the file from P.D.G order will be issued

Submitted for information

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D.O. 15-9-S-HQ-7, d 18.8.22

Dear Sir,

With reference to your letter dt 15.8.22 I am directed to inform you that in regard to the orders ~~on the question of~~ to be made in connection with deposit ~~& Local Promissory Notes~~ with applications for the Belle Electric licence will be issued in a few days

Yours truly

for

AAG

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